

INTERNSHIP DESCRIPTION

**Research Assistant in the
Department of Economics and Finance
on the research project:
“AI for Sustainability: Mapping Needs, Perceptions, and
Learning Innovation”
(Horizon Europe RADAR-AIM)”**

1. Institutional details

- Tutor name and email: Professor Natalia Marzia Gusmerotti – natalia.marzia.gusmerotti@uniroma2.it
- Economic field: Management, Sustainability and Innovation
- Internship start date: January 2026 (flexible)
- Full-time/Part-time: Part-time

2. Skills and Experience required

- Languages required: English
- Degree requirement: Enrollment in MSc EEBL
- Skills required: Interest in sustainability, digital innovation, and AI ethics; Basic experience in qualitative research or survey design (preferred); Good analytical and writing skills; Familiarity with main sustainability topics

3. Job description: “Exploring Perceptions, Emotions, and Ethics of AI in Sustainability Transitions”

- The objective of this research project is to support the Horizon Europe project RADAR-AIM, specifically Work Package 3, which aims to co-design inclusive, innovative, and high-quality educational programs on Artificial Intelligence (AI) for Sustainability. The intern will contribute to mapping skill needs, identifying educational gaps, and supporting the co-creation and assessment of learning content.
- The intern will be involved in: Mapping knowledge and skill needs in AI and sustainability across business and non-business sectors; Conducting gap analysis comparing existing educational offerings to sectoral needs; Co-developing targeted learning materials for diverse audiences; Supporting the ethical and impact assessment of educational content; Design, Realize, Analyse interviews with experts on opportunities, risks, and ethical tensions in the application of AI to sustainability transitions across sectors; Assisting in the design or dissemination of a survey investigating perceptions, hopes, and concerns of younger generations regarding AI and sustainable futures; Generate actionable insights for the design of inclusive, responsible, and future-oriented educational and innovation strategies.



- The intern will develop the following skills: Critical analysis of emerging sustainability challenges and AI-related innovations; Applied qualitative and quantitative research methodologies, including interviews, surveys, and questionnaire design and analysis; Familiarity with the design of educational and training content; Understanding of AI ethics, inclusion, and impact assessment; Collaborative research and communication in a European project context.

Please note: To activate an internship with the selected student, the Tutor should contact Desk Imprese Economia Tor Vergata deskimprese@economia.uniroma2.it with msc_economics@economia.uniroma2.it in copy. The student must complete 150 internship hours at least 45 days prior to his/her graduation. Upon termination of the internship, the Tutor will be required to send immediate notice to msc@eebl.uniroma2.it so the student may obtain credit recognition for the internship activity.